



PATENT APPLICATION

**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR §1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
TECHNOLOGY CENTER ART UNIT 3623**

AK
JPW

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of

Hirosumi SUZUKI et al.

Group Art Unit: 3623

Application No.: 09/935,692

Examiner: S. JARRETT

Filed: August 24, 2001

Docket No.: 109676

For: **SYSTEM, METHOD AND COMPUTER PROGRAM PRODUCT FOR DRAFTING
SUPPLY PLAN AND PRODUCTION PLAN INCLUDING MULTIPLE WORK
STATIONS OR PRODUCTION LINES, INCLUDING REITERATIVELY CHANGING
DISTRIBUTION PARAMETER AND WORK FORCE PARAMETER (As Amended)**

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In reply to the April 13, 2006 Office Action, please consider the following:

Amendments to the Claims as reflected in the listing of claims; and

Remarks.